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LISTING OF CLAIMS

Claims 1 - 4 inclusive (cancelled)

Claim 5 (original)

Claim 6 (canceled)

Claim 7 (original)

Claim 8 (canceled)

Claim 9 (original)

Claim 10 (canceled)

Claim 11 (new)

PENDING CLAIMS NOT BEING CURRENTLY AMENDED

Claim 5. A new and improved skylight conduit as in claim 1 in which the conducting tube is square in cross section.

Claim 7. A new and improved skylight conduit as in claim 1 in which the conducting tube is other than square in cross-section.

Claim 9. A new and improved skylight conduit as in claim 1 in which the ceiling mounted fixture is other than translucent.

11. A new and improved skylight conduit for conducting light and air into a room, comprising;

a roof mounted skylight having a dome in the roof of a building aperture and capable of receiving light from said roof;

a ceiling mounted fixture for mounting in a ceiling aperture and capable of conveying light to the inside of a room;

a flexible light and air conducting tube capable of bending to connect said skylight to said ceiling mounted fixture where said flexible light and air conducting tube has a reflective inner wall, an insulated center core and a fire retardant outer wall;

said reflective inner wall being a metallized plastic and said reflective inner wall being constructed of an air bubble material, and;

said fire retardant outer wall is a metal foil to provide fire retardant qualities and strength to support the weight of the flexible light and air conducting tube.

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